

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Mohr

DATE: 8-24-71

FROM : T. E. Bishop

SUBJECT:

MISSING PERSON MATTER

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Sullivan _____
Mohr _____
Bishop _____
Brennan, C.D. _____
Callahan _____
Casper _____
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Mr. Howard Simons, who was recently named as Managing Editor of "The Washington Post," called my office yesterday afternoon. Mr. Simons said that [redacted] was a "Washington Post" reporter who had been missing since Saturday afternoon, August 21st. He said that [redacted] had left his home en route to work and as far as it is known he never reported in to the Post Building for his 2 p.m. shift. Simons said that [redacted] lived in [redacted] was [redacted] years of age, and had been in Washington about six weeks. He said that the Montgomery County Police and the Metropolitan Police Departments had been alerted to his disappearance, but that they were now extremely worried that young [redacted] had met with foul play.

The Bureau's lack of jurisdiction in missing persons matters was explained to Mr. Simons, and it was pointed out that a stop notice would be placed in the Bureau's Identification Division records which, of course, would reflect whether or not [redacted] was fingerprinted for any reason.

There is attached a story which appeared in "The Washington Post" this morning reflecting [redacted] disappearance.

[redacted] who is a State Department employee and who had flown in from his post in Hawaii last night, called my office and the Bureau's lack of jurisdiction in missing persons cases was explained to him. The father admitted the possibility that his son may have just decided to disappear and was most appreciative of the fact that an Identification Division stop notice would be placed.

Enclosure

1 - Mr. Mohr 1 - Mr. Sullivan
1 - Mr. Bishop 1 - Mr. Rosen

1 - Mr. Walters

1 - Mr. M. A. Jones

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RE: [REDACTED]

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The following background data re [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] is set forth for the information of the Identification Division:

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Height: 5' 10"

Weight: 130 lbs.

Hair: Brown

Eyes: Brown

Residence: [REDACTED]

Education: [REDACTED]

At time of disappearance [REDACTED] was driving a 1971
safari yellow Volvo station wagon with [REDACTED] tags [REDACTED]

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to the Identification
Division in order that an appropriate missing person notice may be placed
concerning captioned individual.

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STEPHEN V. ARMSTRONG
... disappeared Saturday

Post Editor, 25, Missing For 3 Days

Stephen V. Armstrong, an assistant editor for The Los Angeles Times-Washington Post News Service, has not been seen since leaving his home for work on Saturday.

Armstrong, 25, was driving a yellow 1971 Volvo station wagon, Maryland license number KE 7387, when he left his home in Bethesda about 2 p.m. on Saturday. He was due to report at The Post, at 1515 L St. NW, at 2:30 p.m.

His wife told Montgomery County police her husband was wearing a beige shirt, brown corduroy trousers, beige cotton jacket and brown boots. He is 5 feet 10, weighs 130 pounds, has brown eyes, dark brown hair and wears glasses to drive.

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Reference is made to my memo 8-24-71 which reported that a "Washington Post" reporter, had been missing since August 21, 1971, and recommending that a stop notice be placed in the Identification Division records.

This is to advise that a State Department employee, called my office today and advised that had been located and had called his family from Ottawa, Canada, having apparently decided to "take off." He had no further details.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to the Identification Division in order that the missing person notice may be canceled.

- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
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